

ARMORY BY DAY, HOTEL AT NIGHT.

How the Two Hundred and First Regiment Is Recruited.

WORK AND PLAY COMBINED

Mon Eat, Drill and Sleep in the Home of the Twelfth.

The members of the Twelfth Regiment now stationed at Chickamauga would not recognize their old armory if they could see it now. The great drill hall is humming with busy life. The armory has been turned into a recruiting centre and barracks for the Two Hundred and First Regiment, which is being organized under the second call for volunteers by the President. Seven hundred and twenty-five men have their home here. By day recruiting is on in the vast drill hall; by night it is a huge sleeping apartment. Throughout the day recruiting goes on briskly. Little tables are scattered over the floor, at which are seated the officers of the various companies.

The letters of each company are marked in huge type on placards. There is keen competition between the officers of the several companies for recruits. An unwary patriot who wanders into the armory with the idea of becoming a United States soldier is astounded at the warmth of his reception. A half dozen vigorous hands seize him and as many eloquent voices teach him that company A or B or C is the only company.

He is hustled to one of the little tables, and before he realizes what has happened his name is down on the company roll. Away he is hustled to a sergeant's room to get in before some other patriot who has had the misfortune to get into the clutches of company D or E or G.

The Recruit's Home.

If he passes that physical examination he is informed that he has found a new home. This home constitutes the privilege of sleeping at night upon a mattress stretched upon the armory floor and eating three times a day in the canteen, which is also a bathroom between meals, where he is entitled twice a week to be sprayed by a hose.

The great drill hall undergoes a number of transformations during the day. At 10 o'clock business begins. The men are formed in squads and drilled hard for two hours. Next comes lunch, and the little recruiting tables have appeared all over the floor when the men return from their refreshments in the canteen. The afternoon and early evening are given up to recruiting and the men have no more serious work to do than to "hope in."

Some days a band of forty or fifty recruits from some separate company up the State appears, and then the captain of the two Hundred and First Regiment, Colonel Henry W. Hubbell, formerly captain of the First United States Artillery, Lieutenant-colonel, Edmund F. Cotter, formerly lieutenant-colonel of the Seventy-fourth Regiment of Buffalo; senior major, George W. Rand, formerly captain of the Sixth Regiment of New York; and Henry DeWitt Hamilton, formerly captain of the Twenty-third Regiment; surgeon, William E. Spencer, of Brooklyn; assistant quartermaster, L. K. Graves, of Albany; John Wilson Poucher, of Poughkeepsie; quartermaster, Francis Townsend Underhill, formerly captain of the Brigades General; and adjutant, G. H. Clark, formerly lieutenant of Company K, Seventh Regiment.

Six captains come from the Twenty-third Regiment who have been assigned to companies as follows: Company A, Walter P. Blackman; B, George T. Hamlin; C, John F. Todd; D, Alfred S. Orchard; E, William J. Travis; F, Frank A. Martin.

The remaining six captains are from the Second Regiment assigned as follows: Captain, William E. Schuster, formerly first lieutenant of Company A, Seventh Regiment; H. Carter F. Smith, formerly sergeant of Company G; L. John L. Roberts, Jr., formerly sergeant of Company L, Seventh Regiment; K, John A. Olsen, formerly sergeant of Company H; M, Robert Walter Wright, formerly sergeant of Company K; N, Grosvenor L. Townsend, formerly corporal of Company D.

The same scenes are repeated on a smaller scale at the Twenty-second Regiment Armory, where Major J. McIntock has already recruited 200 men. The Third Battalion of the Two Hundred and First Regiment.

Parks in Bronx Borough.

The Park Department yesterday published a list of the parks in the Borough of the Bronx. They are as follows: Pelham Bay Park, 1,756 acres, between Pelham Bay and Long Island Sound; Van Cortlandt Park, 1,523.35 acres, south of the Yorkville; Bronx Park, 661 acres, between One Hundred and Eighty-second street, the Southern Boulevard and White Plains road; Coxsack Park, 164 acres, between Fulton and Arthur avenues; Bronx and Pelham Park, 95 acres, between Bronx and Pelham Bay roads; Washington Park, thirty-eight acres, between Bronx and Van Cortlandt parks; Claremont Park, twenty-eight acres, between Third and Fourth streets; Mary's Park, twenty-eight acres, between One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and Pelham Bay; Jerome Avenue Park, between Jerome Avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-second street, the small park known as Spruynell Park, at Broadway and Jerome Avenue; and the park known as Spruynell Park, at Broadway and Jerome Avenue.

Black Dress Goods.

25 pieces 50-inch All-Wool Venetian Serge, a new fall fabric, as a leader, 49c. per yard; positively worth 75c.

Black Brilliantines.

Decided Bargains.

Extra good values at 29c., 39c., 50c., 59c., 69c., 79c., 89c., \$1.00 and \$1.25 per yard.

Clearing Sale of Wash Goods.

Lappet-effect Printed Swisses, always 12c., are reduced to 6c. per yard. Our 16c. lappet-effect Printed Lawns are reduced to 8c. per yard.

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Our Silk Stripe, Carreux effect and best quality of Printed French Organdies, early in season rapid sellers at 35c., 39c. and 45c.; are reduced to the uniform price of 29c. per yard.

LINENS AND BATISTE.

Fine Brown Linen Batiste at 10c., 12c., 15c. and 19c. per yard; 40 inches wide at 24c. per yard.

Dry Finish Brown Linens at 12c., 15c., 19c. and 25c. per yard.

Shrunk Duck Suiting at 20c. and 25c. per yard.

Etamine Effect Silk Figure and Striped Brown Batiste, heretofore 50c., are reduced to 29c. per yard.

Brown Linen Crashes at 10c., 12c., 15c. and 19c. per yard.

WHITE GOODS.

White Corded Welts at 12c., 15c., 20c., 25c., 29c., 35c., 39c. and 45c. per yard.

40-inch Lawns, nice sheer goods, at 10c., 12c. and 15c. per yard.

India Linens, fine sheer goods, at 10c., 12c., 15c., 20c., 25c., 35c., 45c. and 50c. per yard.

Dotted Swisses, all sizes of dots, at 8c., 10c., 12c., 15c., 20c., 25c. up to 65c. per yard.

GIVING THANKS FOR VICTORY.

Cardinal Gibbons Issues a Circular to Baltimore Churches.

PRAYERS FOR PEACE, TOO.

Offered Daily in the Catholic Churches in This and Other Dioceses.

A circular letter has been prepared by Cardinal Gibbons and will be read in the Roman Catholic churches in Baltimore this morning. It is intended to carry out the suggestion made by President McKinley that the people of this country unite in thanksgiving for the victory of the American fleet off Santiago.

Cardinal Gibbons' letter calls upon the people to offer thanks to Almighty God for His blessings upon the arms of the United States in the conflict with the Spanish fleet, for the victory won and for the escape of the Americans with such little loss. Prayers are also ordered in the circular for an early, bloodless ending of the war. The Cardinal also directs the clergy to use certain prayers at this service of thanksgiving.

The President's suggestion has already been carried out in New York. Archbishop Corrigan ordered the following special prayer for victory said after the mass at St. Patrick's Cathedral last Sunday:

O God, whose mercies are beyond number, and the treasury of whose goodness is infinite, we thank Thy Divine Majesty for the victory we have achieved, earnestly praying that Thy aid may be with us in the future, as it has been in the past, through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Peace is prayed for daily in all the Roman Catholic churches of this diocese. Since Archbishop Corrigan issued the order to that effect, about two months ago, the following prayer from the "Mass for Peace" is offered at every mass just before the epistle is read:

O God, from whom proceed all holy desires, right counsels and true works, give to Thy servants this peace which the world cannot give, so that our hearts be subject to Thy law, and the fear of our enemies being taken away, the times, by Thy protection, may become peaceful.

A Wise Doctor.

"I understand she has had an attack of nervous prostration."

"Oh dear, no; not at all."

"But the doctor said—"

"I know he did at first, but just as soon as he learned the size of her husband's income he changed his mind and said that she was merely overcome by that tired feeling."—Chicago Post.

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NO "HARDTACK" AT CAMP THOMAS.

Soldiers Are Furnished with Good Bread by Their Own Bakery.

50,000 LOAVES EVERY DAY.

One Hundred and Fifty Men Working Day and Night to Supply It.

Camp Thomas, Chickamauga National Park, Ga., July 16.—One of the points of interest at Camp Thomas is the big Government bakery, which furnishes fresh bread for General Brooke's army.

This enormous institution has been in operation for the past few days, and no longer does the trooper protest against eating "hardtack." This is no doubt the largest bakery in the world devoted exclusively to bread baking. An enormous amount of flour is consumed in a day, and, of course, the output is great. At present it is over 50,000 loaves of bread every twenty-four hours. A force of 150 men is employed, working night and day.

One force of men goes on duty at noon and works until midnight, when they are relieved by the second shift. A part of the work is accomplished by machinery, but the major portion is done by hand. The dough is mixed in large troughs, after which it is thrown into a large box machine and well "worked." Each of these machines will hold six barrels of flour. After the dough is worked into the proper shape it is sent along to a force of men who cut and work it into loaves nineteen ounces in weight. Each loaf must be weighed on the scale before going to the ovens. After being baked it must weigh at least sixteen ounces.

It is very interesting to watch the bakers make up the loaves. This is accomplished with the use of a knife, which the men handle with lightning rapidity. After the dough is made into the proper shape, a loaf—one dozen are placed in a "bake pan" and carried by a strong boy to the ovens. If an oven is in proper working order a pan of bread can be baked in thirty minutes.

After the bread is baked it is carried from the oven and laid upon a long warehouse floor, where it cools. Later the bread is stacked up in huge piles and issued to the various regimental commissary officers. Since the bakery has been in operation every man at Camp Thomas has received a loaf of fresh bread every day. The bread is of a very fine quality and wholesome. The flour is furnished by a local mill, which has a contract to supply 200 barrels a day.

PHOTOMATIC TUBES FOR NAVY YARD.

Part of the System is Already in Use, and All Departments Are to Be Connected.

A system of photomatic tubes has been put in in the Navy Yard. The tubes are now in use between the General Storekeeper's Department and the Department of Supplies and Accounts. The tubes are four inches in diameter and made of brass. They run through the buildings over the tops of the doors so as to be out of the way.

While the system is in use between two of the departments it is the plan to connect all of the department headquarters with the General Storekeeper's as a centre. Since the present trouble with Spain has been kept running with messages through the yard. A pneumatic system had been

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Tailor Finished Dresses of Navy Blue Cheviot, Fly Front Top Coat and Skirt entirely lined with colored Taffeta Silk, \$17.50

Ladies' Traveling or Walking Skirts, Tailor Finished in Black Rough Cheviot Peraline \$5.75

(SECOND FLOOR.)

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